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November 13, 2019

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: CC Docket 02-33 - Notice of Discontinuance of Broadband Internet Transmission Service by The New Knoxville Telephone Company (Study Area 300639)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Commission's Wireline Broadband Order, The New Knoxville Telephone Company hereby provides notice of its intent to discontinue offering broadband internet transmission service as a separate component of its broadband internet access service. Effective January 1, 2020, The New Knoxville Telephone Company plans to only provide the transmission component as part of the complete broadband internet access service (Private Carriage).

Please direct any questions to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Preston Meyer General Manager

Cc: Interstate Telcom Consulting, Inc.

NECA Region Manager

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> Notice of Discontinuance of Broadband Internet Transmission Service Effective January 1, 2020

> > The New Knoxville Telephone Company (STUDY AREA 300639) 301 West South Street New Knoxville, OH 45871 Telephone: (419) 753-2457

> > > CC Docket No. 02-33

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The New Knoxville Telephone Company hereby provides notice that it intends to cease offering broadband internet transmission service as a separate component of its broadband internet access service. Effective January 1, 2020 The New Knoxville Telephone Company will only provide the transmission component as part of the complete broadband internet access service pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission's Wireline Broadband Order. The geographic areas affected are The New Knoxville Telephone Company Study Area 300639.

Today, this service is provided to NKTelco, Inc. As stated in the attached customer notice, The New Knoxville Telephone Company will only provide the transmission component as part of the complete broadband internet access service (Private Carriage) effective January 1, 2020.

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¹ See Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet Over Wireline Facilities, Universal Service Obligations of Broadband Providers, CC Docket No. 02-33, WC Docket No. 05-271, Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 20 FCC Red 14853 (2005). FCC 05-150 (rel. September 23, 2005), (Wireline Broadband Order)

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Re: CC Docket 02-33 - Notice of Discontinuance of Broadband Internet Transmission Service by The New Knoxville Telephone Company (Study Area 300639)

Dear Valued Customer:

Our records indicate that NKTelco, Inc. is currently purchasing broadband transmission services from The New Knoxville Telephone Company. This letter is to advise you that The New Knoxville Telephone Company, Study Area 300639 will discontinue offering broadband internet transmission service as a separate component of its broadband internet access service on January 1, 2020.

The actions described above are taken in accordance with the FCC's Report and Order (FCC 05-150) released September 23, 2005 in Docket No. 02-33.

No action is necessary on your part. However, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Preston Meyer General Manager

Cc: Interstate Telcom Consulting, Inc.

NECA Region Manager

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

- I, Preston Meyer, General Manager, hereby certify that I have, on this 13th day of November, 2019:
- 1. Served by first class mail the foregoing Notification of Discontinuance of Broadband Internet Transmission Service to the following:

Governor Mike DeWine Office of the Governor Riffe Center, 30th Floor 77 South High Street Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Special Assistant for Telecommunications Department of Defense 1400 Defense Pentagon Washington, DC 20301-1400

2. Served via electronic filing the foregoing Notification of Discontinuance of Broadband Internet Transmission Service to the following:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Attn: Telecommunications Division 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215

3. Served via paper the foregoing Notification of Discontinuance of Broadband Internet Transmission Service to the following:

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